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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Sir:

ARCHIAN STAN This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office on January 2, 2002 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

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AMENDMENTS

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph at page 9, lines 1 through 8 with the following paragraph:



transgenic animals. In particular, the present invention relates to established cells which express a temperature sensitive SV40 large T-antigen, GLUT-1 transport